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In the application of:

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Serial No.: 10/057,847

Filing Date: January 25, 2002

For: 8-PHENYL-6,9-DIHYDRO-  
[1,2,4]TRIAZOLO[3,4-i]PURIN-5-ONE  
DERIVATIVES

Examiner: Mark L. Berch

Group Art Unit: 1624

**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.78(a)(3) CLAIMING BENEFIT OF EARLIER FILING DATE AND CROSS REFERENCES TO OTHER APPLICATIONS**

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Dear Sir:

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This Petition accompanies a Response to Restriction Requirement. The delay in requesting benefit was unintentional due to the inadvertently omitting information on the Utility Patent Application Transmittal. Box 18 (Continuing Application information) on the Transmittal was not completed. Box Continuation along with the prior application number was unintentionally overlooked.

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Applicants are enclosing a Preliminary Amendment correcting the cross-reference language. Also enclosed is a Supplemental Application Data Sheet and executed corrected Declaration.

The surcharge under 1.17(t) is being paid. Fee Transmittal (form PTO/SB/17) is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 03-1952.**

Applicants request the Commissioner to grant this petition and to perfect the filing of this application by acceptance of the accompanying documents.

Respectfully submitted,

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